

United States District Court
Northern District of California

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

MARC OPPERMAN, et al.,
Plaintiffs,
v.
PATH, INC., et al.,
Defendants.

Case No. 13-cv-00453-JST

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

Having considered the parties' most recent Joint Case Management Statement, ECF No. 598, as well as the arguments of counsel at the Case Management Conference held on January 5, 2016, the Court now orders as follows:

1. The parties are ordered to meet and confer regarding their outstanding discovery disputes, and thereafter to submit a joint letter brief comprehensively describing the same. The letter brief shall be no more than ten, single-spaced pages and must be filed by January 13, 2016. As discussed at the hearing, the Court is likely to submit the parties' discovery disputes to a Magistrate Judge for resolution.

2. Plaintiffs may refile their motion for class certification as against Defendants Path, Inc. and Apple Inc. Briefing and hearing on that motion will proceed as follows:

Event	Deadline
Motion for Class Certification	January 8, 2016
Opposition Brief	March 3, 2016
Reply Brief	March 24, 2016
Hearing	April 12, 2016 at 2:00 p.m.

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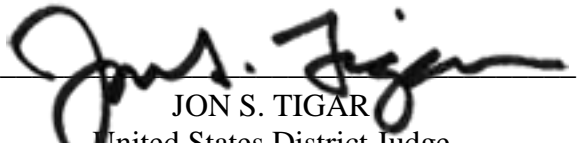
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3. The Court will provide further rulings on the remaining likely motions for class certification and motions for summary judgment, and will set a further Case Management Conference, after it has reviewed the parties' joint discovery letter.

4. The Court will adopt the Northern District of California Model Protective Order for Litigation Involving Patents, Highly Sensitive Confidential Information and/or Trade Secrets as its order in this case. By January 12, 2016, Apple Inc. is directed to submit that order, conformed to this action and approved as to form by all parties, for the Court's signature.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 6, 2016



JON S. TIGAR
United States District Judge